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REMARKS

This application is a divisional application of U.S. Application Serial No. 09/490,090, filed January 24, 2000, in issue, which is a continuation-in-part of U.S. Application Serial No. 09/122,299, filed July 24, 1998, in issue. Please enter the foregoing amendments prior to calculation of the filing fee and prior to examination on the merits.

The parent application, Serial No. 09/490,090, was restricted into seven invention groups, of which Group VII, Claims 1-6, and 17-34 were elected and prosecuted to allowance. This divisional application is filed to receive consideration of additional embodiments disclosed in the specification as originally filed.

The first paragraph of the specification has been amended herein to provide updated information regarding cross-references to related applications under 37 C.F.R. § 1.78.

Claim 1 has been amended herein to incorporate the features that led to the allowance of the parent application, i.e., the recitation, "wherein the spray is composed of droplets having a mean diameter of 40-200 microns". Support for the amendment is found on page 9, lines 7-9 of the specification. No new matter is presented.

A check in the amount of \$932.00 to cover the filing fees accompanies these papers, and the fees are calculated taking the foregoing amendments into account, since the amendments cancel claims allowed in the parent application. The Commissioner is specifically authorized to charge any additional fees deemed to be necessary in connection with the filing of this paper or any of the accompanying papers, or to charge other fees necessary to complete this US filing to Deposit Account <u>50-0268</u>.

Entry of the foregoing amendments and examination of the claims as amended are requested.

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